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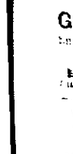

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Oct.27—deow&w1y

Neatness in the Highway.

The country highway is the connecting link of the American farmers. It binds the farms together instead of separating them, and furnishes the means by which a neighborhood may be a unit in the nation. The "common road" is a common interest, and is the common expression of a common life. Along it the stranger passes, and from it he gains lasting and very accurate impressions of those who make it what it is.

If a highway was for travel and nothing more, and travel was simply the getting from one place to another, then a good roadbed of the shortest length between connected points would meet the full demands of a country road. But people travel largely for pleasure, and when the going is a duty, they desire to mix as much comfort with the commission as is possible. The roadside is the constantly changing panorama of all who pass along any highway.

The writer knows of two equally good roads, so far as the roadbed is concerned, at equal distances from a village. One is kept clean, not expensively so, the grass is cut, and it well pays the owners of the land for their work. The other common road has half-finished ditches along the side, which bristle with Canada thistle and other vile weeds. The fences are hedgerows of filth and propagating beds for noxious plants that each year seed down the whole neighborhood with expensive pests. The farmers along this portion of the highway have, with one accord, turned the road into a common "slop jar," into which they throw everything that is not fit to be seen. In one place is a large brush heap, upon which the trimmings of the trees in the door-yard are annually thrown, and become an object of fright to many a horse that passes by starlight. A little further on is the log-yard of a farmer. The roadside is appropriated as a place where the necessary rails are split from year to year. In this brush the turkeys build a nest, and behind the logs a litter of pigs first sees the light of day. Born upon the highway, these animals hold all the claims of their birthright. The next farmer has his barn "on the road," and with the tumble-down piles of old lumber, interspersed with broken harrows and cultivators which surround it, the passer by must either shut his eyes, and nose too, or be a witness to a thriftless, and even a disgusting scene. Not far up the road things are even worse, for, instead of the barn, the house is on the public highway, and the carriage track is daily sprinkled with the chips that fly from the slow and melancholy chopper in his boundless roadside wood-yard.

The farmers along the well-kept roadway have no better farms than their slip-shod neighbors on the other side of the village; they, perhaps, do not make any more money. But there are some things in which they are vastly superior. They live on a higher plane, and therefore a comparison is difficult to make, and not at all necessary. The well-kept road gets all the pleasure driving; no one thinks of going into the unkempt district except on business. The tidy road is a double and mutual comfort to those who desire to take a pleasure drive and to the farmers who dwell along the highway. Nothing enlivens the common life of the farmer and his family like the sight of frequent vehicles upon the highway.

The difference in the cost of keeping the two extremes of country road is in favor of the one that is neat and pleasing to the eye. There is an increase of hay and a great saving of labor in weed-killing. The roadside that is left to itself is not mowed, and yields only weeds. The value of the farms, though the same at the outset, are widely different now. Though the fertility of the acres may not be far from the same, the well-kept land is always salable at a good price, while the shiftless farmer must seek a buyer for his land.

The rows of maple and elm trees that were planted along the good road fifteen years ago cost but a trifle at the time, but are now so valuable that to cut them down would be counted a sin. They pay a good profit in the shade and beauty which they afford, while at the same time the work of wood-making is going on.—*Farm and Garden.*

—Insects of different species are attracted toward the species of plants suited to the wants of their offspring by the sense of smell, and if some odor, strong enough to overcome the natural odor of the plant, can be applied to the plant, or the earth around it, it will no longer attract the insect, but will escape its depredations. There are many strong odors carbolic acid, for example, that might be employed for such purposes.

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For aged men, women, weak and sickly children, without a rival. Will not cause headache. Brown's Iron Bitters. 29

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The finest line of Piece Goods, comprising all grades of cloths, cassimeres and worsted, which will be made up to order in the most fashionable style, are just received at Fleury's, the French Cutter, corner of Old Square. [Sep 7-d&wtf

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The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycering Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stower. [April 3-d&wly

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BUSKINS, broad and soft, just the thing for old ladies, at BARBER & BAKER'S.

April 15-d&wtf

Painting Houses.

In going through the country, the eye is wearied by the steady succession of white houses, usually with green blinds and red chimneys. Why we see so few houses of other colors, I am unable to say. Perhaps white is adhered to from force of habit. A house so dazzling in its whiteness that it could be seen from anywhere within a goodly circle of miles, like a white spot in a green map, was our fathers' highest idea of beauty. We became used to seeing what they thought was particularly fine, and when we came to build houses of our own, we quite naturally did as our fathers did. The consequence is that white houses glare at us everywhere we go. If they are toned down with trees and vines, the effect is not so bad, but I can conceive of no more self-asserting and disagreeable feature in a landscape than a great white house, standing in an open yard, unless it is a red one. In summer the contrast between a white house and the landscape is too strong. In winter there is none.

Before painting a house, we should study the landscape about it, and decide on a color that will be in harmony with it. We do not want a green house. I do not mean that when I say we should select a color in harmony, but I mean a color that is in contrast with the prevailing tints of the landscape, and does not conflict with them. There is no reason why two harmonizing colors should not be in complete contrast with each other. A great many people get the idea that harmony of color means similarity, and that contrast means conflict. This is not the case. Drab and blue contrast strongly with each other, but there is complete harmony between them.

For country houses I would advise for open, exposed places, a pale gray, or drab. There are complaints made frequently that drab looks cold. It can not look colder than white does, and there is no reason why it should look cold at all, if proper care is taken to have the trimmings of the house of some warm, cheerful color. I know a drab house with deep, warm-toned brown cornice and blinds, with plenty of vines clambering up it to break the monotony of the surface between the windows, and it is one of the warmest-looking houses I know of. In the summer it is refreshing to look at it. It does not pain the eyes with its glare. It does not assert itself the moment you reach the top of the hill and come within sight of it. A white house would draw your attention at once; and no matter how you might try to look at something else, the white blotch on the landscape would leave its impression in your eye, and you could not help seeing it. This gray house seems part of the landscape. Its colors blend well with the green above it. There are no large trees around it, but there are vines, and the general effect in summer is cool and subdued, and in winter it gives a sense of warmth and comfort. Why it gives a sensation of warmth at one season and of coolness at another, is explained by the fact that summer is a season of high, bright colors, and the drab is in a lower tone of color than those prevailing in the landscape. Winter is a season of but little color, and then drab, in contrast with the snow-covered earth, becomes cheerful, and the deep-toned trimmings, which should be seen on every house painted in drabs or grays, give a sense of warmth which they would not have in summer when all about it is in high, decided tones.

I am glad that we see fewer new houses painted white now than formerly. The taste of the people is being educated to a more correct knowledge of what is fitting and appropriate. In time to come we shall see few white houses, and no bright red barns to give us a sense of intense heat and consequent bodily discomfort on a summer day, when we are trying to keep cool. —*E. E. Rexford, in American Agriculturist.*

—The Economite Society, of Beaver County, Pa., is nearing extinction, as the surviving members are all old and no new ones are admitted. It was founded in 1800 as an Adventist colony by George Rapp, who brought 125 families of converts from Germany. They broke their marriage ties, pooled their money, amounting to $510,000, and lived in communism. But if their number has dwindled their property has not, and the society now owns $8,000,000. A man who seceded years ago, leaving his money behind, now sues for $80,000 as his share, and if he gets it, similar litigation will soon almost empty the Economite treasury.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—The annual interest on the public debt is now about $1.08 for every inhabitant. In 1876 it was more than twice this, being $2.20 per capita, and in 1865 it was as high as $4.29 per capita, or $150,977,697, to be paid by 35,469,000 people.—*N. Y. Times.*

Cloaks, Dolmans, Children's and Misses' Cloaks, Blankets, Bed Comforts and Shawls,

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To Chicago and Return.

The Wabash will sell round-trip tickets from Decatur to the Chicago Fair and Exposition on the following dates: Sept. 12 to 13, good to return on the 18th; Sept. 16 to 23, inclusive, good to return on the 25th; on Sept. 26 and 27, good to Oct. 2d; On Oct. 3 and 4, good to Oct. 9th; on Oct. 10 and 11, good to Oct. 16; and also on Oct. 17 and 18, good to return on Oct. 23d. Fare for the round trip, including one admission ticket to the Exposition, which will close Oct. 21, $7.05. dtd

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ORDER soft nut coal of F. D. Caldwell and he will deliver it to you nicely screened. Office with American Express Co. March 23-dtf

Attention, 116th Regt. Ill. Vols.

All members of the 116th Regiment Ill. Volunteers are requested to meet at the court house in Decatur, Ill., on Saturday, Oct. 7th, 1882, at 10 o'clock A. M.

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April 15-d&wtf

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May 27, '82-dtf.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County,

In the Circuit Court to December Term, 1882.

Ellen Ward vs. William K. Ward—In Chancery. Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence in the State of Illinois of William K. Ward, the defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said defendant, William K. Ward, that the complainant in said cause, Ellen Ward, has filed her bill of complaint in the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, on the chancery side thereof against you, the said defendant, to the December term of said court, 1882. That summons in said cause has been issued against you, the said defendant, returnable at the court house, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the first Monday in the month of December, 1882, as is by law required, and that said cause is now pending and undetermined in said court. And unless you, the said defendant, shall be and appear before said court on the first day of the next December term thereof, 1882, and plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same will be taken as confessed by you and a decree entered against you in accordance with the prayer thereof.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk Circuit Court.

H. PASCO, Complainant's Solicitor.

Decatur, Ill., Sept. 18, 1882—d4w

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March 16—dtf

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned, commissioners and committee of highways of the towns of Decatur and South Wheatland, Macon county and State of Illinois, on the seventh day of October, A. D. 1882, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the construction of ninety-six linear feet of pile trestle and about ten thousand cubic yards of earth work, being the continuation of the Mattox ford road. Plans and profile of said work can be seen at the office of the town clerk at Decatur after October 1st, commissioners reserving the right to reject any or all bids. The party to whom it is let must give a good and sufficient bond.

C. M. CALDWELL, T. L. ANTHIS, D. A. MAFFIT, Com. of Decatur.
C. CONRADO, W. H. PRICE, P. HILL, Com. of South Wheatland.
H. WARD, S. MADANNAH, Committee for Macon.

Sept. 25-d&w2w

In Bankruptcy—No. 2,318.

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois.

In the matter of SILAS E. WARRICK, bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said court by said Silas E. Warrick, of near Macon, in the county of Macon, in said district, duly declared bankrupt, under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the thirty-first day of October, A. D. 1882, at eleven o'clock A. M., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said court, at the United States Court Room, in the city of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said bankrupt and all other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted. M. B. CONVERSE, Clerk.

HARVEY PASCO, Attorney for Petitioner.

Dated at Springfield, Sept. 23, 1882. [23-d4w

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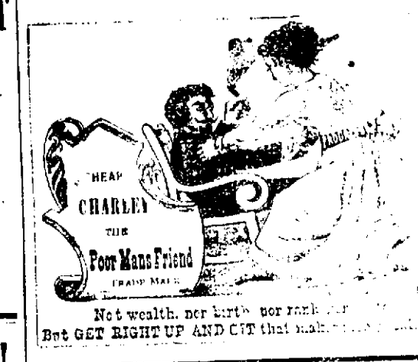

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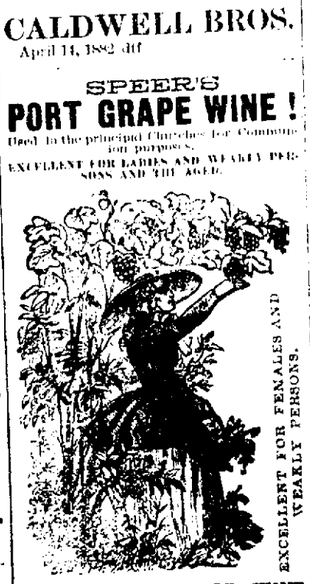

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of JOSEPH B. SMITH, Deceased.

Public notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Joseph B. Smith, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of November, A. D. 1882, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Oct. 2, A. D. 1882.

LEWRIGHT W. WHEELER, Administrator.

Oct. 2—d3w

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 4, 1882.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

For State Treasurer,
GEN. JOHN C. SMITH,
Of Cook county.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
CHARLES T. STRATTAN,
Of Jefferson county.

For Congressman—14th District,
JONATHAN H. ROWELL,
Of McLean county.

For State Senator—29th District,
JASON ROGERS,
Of Macon county.

For Representatives—29th District,
JOHN T. FOSTER, of Logan co.
JOHN H. CROCKER, of Macon co.

For County Judge,
SAMUEL F. GREER.

For County Clerk,
GEORGE P. HARDY.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE M. WOOD.

For County Superintendent,
EDWIN PHILBROOK.

For Sheriff,
WILLIAM W. FOSTER.

For Coroner,
JESSE E. BENDURE.

CAPT. J. H. ROWELL,

Republican candidate for Congress, will address the people of Macon county on the political questions of the day, at the following times and places, to-wit:

Mt. Zion, Wednesday evening, Oct. 4.
Argenta, Thursday evening, Oct. 5.
Blue Mound, Friday afternoon, Oct. 6.
Macon, Friday evening, Oct. 6.
Maroa, Saturday afternoon, Oct. 7.

Hon. Jason Rogers and E. P. Vail, Esq., will address the citizens of Wheatland township at Wheatland, Saturday evening, October 7, 1882. Let there be a large turnout.

"SENATOR" Jack is troubled because Capt. Rowell did not discuss the prohibition question, but confined his remarks to national politics. Inasmuch as Capt. Rowell is a candidate for Congress, and when elected will have nothing to do with that question, which is a purely local one, he could not well be expected to devote his speeches to it to the exclusion of national issues. But the "Senator" is a candidate for a seat in the general assembly of Illinois (albeit he is not likely even to find standing room there)—a body before which this very prohibition question is sure to come, and yet he persists in devoting his time to a discussion of the tariff, civil service reform and such topics as are generally supposed to be exclusively national in their character. Why does he not deign to give some reasons for the position he occupies on the question of submitting to the people of the State the proposed prohibitory amendment? Why does he maintain such a profound silence on the subject, and refuse to tell why he thinks the people are not competent to decide the question for themselves? This is a "living issue," and yet the "Senator" has thus far failed to enlighten the people upon it. This is a state question, and still the "Senator" is unmistakably nervous whenever it is mentioned. Everybody, however, has come to understand his position, just the same as though he had publicly made it known, but it would look better for him to be a little more explicit himself before finding fault with other candidates on that score.

IT is remarkable how friendly the Democrats of Macon county are to the soldier element, about election time, but it is a little remarkable that not a single one of those who wore the blue has ever received an office at the hands of that party in Macon county, although there has not been a time in the last dozen years when the Democrats have not held possession of from one to three county offices. Just now the Bourbons are cackling a good deal about their patriotism and magnanimity in putting a soldier on their county ticket, but there is not an intelligent Democrat in the county who expects him to be elected, and they will slaughter that soldier most unmercifully on election day, in order to get votes for some of their other candidates who never smelled powder, and in whose success the antediluvian bosses seem to be more interested than they are in the election of their lone soldier. It is another remarkable fact that the Democratic bosses of the county have never yet even nominated a soldier for any office that there was any likelihood of being able to capture. The soldier has been occasionally nominated by them, but it has always been as a sort of forlorn hope, and the present year is no exception to the rule. The ruse is a very thin one and the soldiers saw through it long ago.

THE real work of the Democratic campaign in this county is liable to begin very shortly. The missionary from Peoria has been in town for some days looking the ground over.

AS SOON as the Democratic bosses can agree as to which one of their candidates they most desire to elect, the preparations will begin for the most gigantic trade that they have ever embarked in.

JOHN IRWIN, at the White Front, has surpassed all his former efforts in his selection of Neck Wear. 2-d1w

Gov. Tilden's Illness as Stated by an Intimate Friend.

Dr. G. L. Miller in Omaha Herald.

As to the nature of the disease from which Mr. Tilden is suffering, the theory of softening of the brain is not accepted by the writer, although the nerve centres have long been affected. Mr. Tilden's mind, however, is as clear and vigorous as ever, although he was suffering from extreme debility and the old nervous affection that has caused him so much trouble of mind and body in the last few years, the medical name for which is paralysis agitans, or shaking palsy—involuntary motions of the hands and limbs which cannot be controlled by the will. Knowing the real condition of Mr. Tilden, it has been with great regret and surprise that we have seen the constant allusions that have been made to him as a probable, or even possible candidate for office. We hope the worst may not be realized, and that Mr. Tilden may yet be long spared in the enjoyment of that repose which he has sought since his absolute retirement from political life and affairs in 1880.

Women as Saloon Patrons.

Clara Belle in Cincinnati Enquirer.

Women's habits of drink are susceptible of changing fashions. It is not so many years since no circumspect New York woman, certainly no unmarried one, would drink any kind of alcoholic beverage in a public restaurant, always excepting the Germans with their beer. From them the liking of lager gradually spread, and women generally took to it at the Central Park garden in the reign of Theodore Thomas. I remember being shocked at the sight of the beautiful Parepa Rosa sitting at a round table with a beer glass to her lovely mouth; but it wasn't long before I could toss off my own glass without a blush. At the present time the best women make nothing of drinking beer, ales and wines in public eating places. The Broadway oyster houses are fashionable as well as popular resorts for people after the theatre, and it is common to see a gentle, seraphic and possibly dyspeptic creature tackle her half dozen fried and bottle of bitter ale.

THE post office at Iron Rod, Montana, has been discontinued, and the explanation is thus given by an officer of the department: "A post-office agent, while officially visiting various offices in Montana Territory for the purpose of correcting any irregularities of Postmasters, stopped at Iron Rod. Going into the post-office he found the room divided into three sections—first a saloon, next the post-office, and last a faro bank. The mail-bag was brought in, a rough-looking customer opened it, and emptied the contents on the floor. The entire crowd at once got down on their hands and commenced overhauling the letters, among which several were registered, and selected such as they wanted. After they were through the remaining letters were shoveled into a candle box and placed on the bar. The special agent, thinking the office needed a little regulating, asked the barkeeper, who had received and distributed the mail, if he was the Postmaster. He answered 'No.' 'Are you the Assistant Postmaster?' 'No.' 'Where is the Postmaster?' 'Out mining.' 'Where is the Assistant Postmaster?' 'Gone to Hell's Canon; and by thunder, Bill Jones has got to run this office next week; it's his turn.' The Government official then stated who he was, and demanded the keys of the office. The bartender coolly took the candle-box from the bar, placed it on the floor and gave it a kick, sending it out of the door, saying, 'There's your post office, and now git.' The agent says: 'Knowing the custom of the country, I lost no time in following this advice, and got.' This is why the post office at Iron Rod was discontinued."

THE Illinois Central railroad will run a special train to the Chicago Exposition, leaving Decatur at 7:52 a. m. Tuesday, October 10th. Fare for the round trip only $3.50, return tickets good until October 23d, inclusive. Two fine coaches will be side-tracked at Decatur for the special accommodation of passengers from this point. J. F. Merry, Excursion Agent, will accompany the excursion and carefully look after the convenience and comfort of his passengers. Train will arrive at Chicago at 5:30 p. m. sep30-dtd

THE semi annual dividends payable in Boston in October will put $7,017,115 in circulation, of which the banks pay $1,479,500. Of the fifty nine banks within the limits of the city, five pay 5 per cent. (one $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. quarterly) four 4 per cent., three $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., twenty-two 3 per cent., seventeen $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., five 2 per cent., two pass, and one is closing.

PARIS, ILL., Nov. 30, 1881.—Prof. Morris, with his troupe of trained dogs, created a furore among the juveniles Saturday and Monday. His troupe of canines possess almost human intelligence. The opera hall was tested to its full capacity by the crowd who flocked to see their performances. Dog and horse shows are about the best paying class of entertainments that visit this city.

At the opera house Thursday night, Oct. 5. Admittance, 10 and 15 cents; reserved seats, 25 cents.

GENERAL SHERMAN, while recently acting as secretary of war, during the temporary absence of Secretary Lincoln, recommended the pardon of Sergeant Mason. It is believed that Secretary Lincoln, who has just returned to Washington, will unite in this.

MORE new Chromos, Velvet Frames, Stereoscopes and Views, at Wallace's Book Store. Sept 18-dawtf

BEN BUTLER is on the fence serenely contemplating the offer of the Massachusetts Democracy to make him its candidate for governor. It will take $100,000 to make things jolly until election day, and Butler wants to have the money guaranteed before he sails in. His last campaign is said to have cost him $40,000 out of his own pocket, and that sort of thing is becoming monotonous to the Lowell statesman.

THE AMUSEMENT CIRCLE.

"MY PARTNER" TO-NIGHT.

This evening at the opera house our theatre goers will have the pleasure of witnessing the celebrated play "My Partner," which was written by Mr. Bartley Campbell and is universally acknowledged to be the best of all his productions. This play will be given by the same company which presented with such splendid success in New York, Chicago, St. Louis and all the larger cities in America. The creation is—

A simple story of the west,
But not of fight or savage brave,
But of a love as tender, true,
As ever knight to lady gave.

The leading characters will be assumed by Mr. Aldrich and Mr. Parsloe. General admission 50 and 75 cents. Reserved seats $1.

"DAMON AND PYTHIAS."

After "My Partner" comes Mr. Frederick Warde and his fine dramatic company in "Damon and Pythias" on Friday evening, Oct. 6th. Mr. Warde will receive a warm greeting in Decatur where he has many admiring friends. Secure seats at Curtis & Co.'s.

"ROOMS FOR RENT."

Last evening we received a call from Mr. W. C. Gates, business manager for the Ensign Comedy Company, that will give us the original version of "Rooms for Rent" at the opera house on Monday evening, Oct. 9th. There are 12 performers with this troupe and that each is an artist in his or her line we learn from a batch of press notices before us, in which all are praised. "Rooms for Rent" is one of the cutest and most laughable plays going and must be seen to be appreciated. Popular prices. Next Monday night is the time.

LAST evening Rev. W. H. Prestley, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, was presented at his home with a copy of Rand, McNally & Co.'s Indexed Atlas of the World, a valuable work, which Mr. G. B. Charles is introducing in Decatur. The donors of the gift are Dr. W. A. Barnes, Capt. R. P. Lytle and Messrs. J. E. Bering, W. R. Scruggs and D. H. Heilman. The formal presentation was made by Mr. Charles, and Rev. Prestley responded in appropriate words expressive of his gratefulness.

THE *Globe-Democrat* of yesterday published a thrilling story about a man who presented himself at police headquarters in that city, having a gash across his throat and various cuts on the arms, and who told how he had been kidnapped by some parties at Toledo, under the assumption that he was a spy in the employ of the British government. These men, he asserted, in their endeavors to make him confess, cut his throat, gashed his arms and otherwise abused him, but finally sent him to St. Louis in charge of one of the gang. We are credibly informed that this man some days ago, while on the train between Chicago and Monticello, either in a fit of insanity or delirium from strong drink, began to tear up the seats, break the car windows and conduct himself in such a manner as to compel the train men to take charge of him. At Monticello he was placed in custody of Sheriff Holmes, who put him into a cell in the jail. While there he made an attempt to cut his throat with a table knife passed in to him at his meals, and also cut his hands and arms. The sheriff took the weapon from him, and as he seemed to become more rational he was discharged from custody and put aboard the train for St. Louis. The next heard of him was the story published in the *Globe-Democrat*. He is evidently a very looney lunatic.

First In, First Out.

Bloomington Pantagraph.

General Raum may be one of the best men in the Republican party, but until the senatorial question is before the legislature, and while the people of Illinois are taking no immediate interest in the subject, it would appear to the casual observer that he is doing himself infinite damage by foisting himself, uninvited, onto the people's attention as a candidate for United States senator. He should take a lesson of other premature things—how they so often get nipped in the bud—the magnificent Grant boom, for instance. A man may as likely as any way make himself ridiculous in setting himself up for office, as the people in these latter days prefer to choose their own candidates. They have a growing delicacy of taste in such matters which office seekers should learn to regard.

GRAND TROTTING MATINEE.

Single and Double Contests for a Purse of $100 in Cash.

On Thursday, October 5th, there will be a grand trotting contest for $100 in cash, at Brenneman & Downing's Driving Park. The following named horses are matched for the single trot, mile heats, best three in five in harness.

SINGLE TROT.

Cheap Charley enters g. m. "Gray George."
D. A. Maffit enters b. m. "Blacksmith Maid."
Wash Smith enters s. s. "Frenchman."
Tom Weaver enters bl. h. "D. C."

ADDITIONAL CONTEST.

Double contest, mile heats, best two in three, for special prize. Entries for this race have been made by R. R. Montgomery and Geo. Watt.

The park and track are in splendid shape, and plenty of seats will be provided by Mr. Downing for the accommodation of the people. This will probably be the last trotting matinee of the present season, and it should be witnessed by all admirers of fast steppers. The contest will commence promptly at 2 o'clock p. m., on October 5th. Admission 25 cents.
Sept. 28 d&wtd.

A New Departure.

Nearly three years ago Rand, McNally & Co., conceived the plan of an immense undertaking, namely, to furnish in *one volume* substantially all that anybody would desire to know about any place anywhere on the earth. The combination of Atlas, Gazetteer and Cyclopedia seems realized in their "Indexed Atlas of the World," now represented in this city by the Illinois General Agent, Geo. B. Charles, who is stopping at the New Deming Hotel. The work is unique in plan and comprehensive in scope. It is a vast mine of practical information, and will be useful in the business office and the family library. [Sept 28-d1w

WALKING SHOES for $1.00 at Barber & Baker's. April 15-d&wtf

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 3.—The coinage of the various mints during September amounted to $8,009,252, of which 2,300,100 were standard dollars.

The accumulation of business in the Pension Bureau is something enormous. Many of the original claimants have died since filing their papers, and the difficulty of obtaining evidence on which to establish certain classes of cases has been greatly aggravated by the lapse of time. This is especially the case with dependent "father and mother claims," where the soldier filed his evidence and has since died. It is comparatively easy to obtain evidence in most of claims for pensions. All classes of pensioners have to be suspended for additional evidence of some kind. As every examiner is necessarily both judge and jury in the cases before him, subject to the Pension laws and rules of the Pension Office, great care is being exercised to get him started off right. There have been about 600 clerks appointed in the Pension Office within a month, most of the new appointees being assigned to duty as examiners. The new system of special agents is said to be working well, and in time will prove the most satisfactory branch of the pension service.

The reports from North Carolina are very encouraging to the coalition movement. The Bourbons have been unsuccessful in endeavoring to unite the Democracy by reason of raising the color line, and it is reported that even Senator Vance, who has always attracted large crowds, is now speaking to small audiences, and that Senator Ransom has the same experience. The prospects of the coalition are brighter than they were a month ago.

Secretary of the Navy Chandler is in New York. Attorney General Howe is in Wisconsin. Secretary Folger is in New York. Attorney General Brewster is in New Jersey. Secretaries Frelinghuysen, Lincoln and Teller are here. The President expects to remain at the Thousand Islands, on the St. Lawrence river, until next week, when he will go to the White Mountains and to Boston.

It is estimated that there will be a surplus of about $2,000,000 in the appropriations made for the star route service for the last fiscal year.

Senator Mahone talks freely and confidently about Virginia politics, says the Readjusters will elect six members of Congress sure, and quite likely more. He is doubtful about the Richmond districts.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Prof. Felton has submitted to District Attorney Corkhill the report of the chemical analysis, just concluded, of the poisoned bouquet, given to Guiteau by his sister, Mrs. Scoville, the day before the execution. The report says: The large bud, half opened, of a flower contained over two grains of white arsenic, not only sufficient to cause death had it been swallowed, but so largely in excess of a fatal dose, that the intent to poison, of the person who prepared the flowers, would have been defeated by emetics. The original amount of arsenic was greater than that found, as the petals failed to retain, in a dry state, some which adhered when moist. Corkhill says he is trying to discover who poisoned the flowers, and if found they will be held to answer.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—The democratic state central committee, in session here this afternoon, decided to make a push for the control of the next state legislature, by nominating two out of three representatives in districts where, heretofore, under minority representation, they have been content to elect one, and in democratic districts to nominate a full representation of three.

The republican primaries in the first district, south division of Chicago and adjoining towns, held this afternoon, indicate the renomination of Hon. William Aldrich.

TAYLORVILLE, Ill, Oct. 3.—Miss Emma Bond has again been visited with spasms of a very violent nature, much resembling lockjaw. Her extreme suffering is mostly confined to her head and eyes, and the report is prevalent on the streets to-night that she is totally blind. Drs. Rockwell and Cornell were called to her bedside early in the day and have not yet returned, and the people are very anxious to hear from her and very much fear that they will learn of her death. Her father says that she is much weaker than at any time previous and is of the opinion that she cannot survive the present attack. For some days there has been but little said regarding this fiendish act that laid her low, but now that she seems in imminent danger, the people have become aroused and curses loud and deep can be heard expressed against the suspects. Your correspondent interviewed a gentleman of that neighborhood to-day and was informed by him that the people there are organized and that they do not intend to let justice be thwarted by any trick the defense may put forth.

In answer to a question about the suspects taking a change of venue, he said if they should undertake to get a change of venue or run any of the witnesses off in order to delay their trial, their doom is sealed. "We do not intend," he said, "to do anything rash, and we want the law to take its course, but we do not intend to let this case be dragged from court to court until the witnesses have died or moved away. All we want is justice and that we are going to have."

New Picture Card Stock

The REPUBLICAN has just received a nobby lot of highly illuminated chromo business cards, to which we invite the attention of merchants and others. The selection embraces a great variety of styles, such as have not been introduced here, and each is "as pretty as a picture." Call at the REPUBLICAN counting room and inspect the stock. dtf

STINE'S $10 all wool Cassimere Suits. M5-dtf

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office at Decatur, Macon County, Ill., for week ending Oct. 4, 1882.

Adams Miss Jennie 2	McGruder Dr
Carden Geo W	McCann Miss Kate
Carter John F	McNeal Mrs Mary
Clayton N W	McCullon Thomas
Cox William W 3	Northleck Carl
Denn Mrs Emma	Nelson J W
Dunn Miss Eliza	Nichols J D
Davis John M	Russell John 2
Desmond Louis A	Record Miss Nellie
Foster Ehe	Scaggs John
Ferry Miss Jennie	Sickles Joseph W
Freshwater W H	Sheppard Josia
Graves Dock	Smith John
Grant George	Shroll Peter
Gosh Mrs James	Tucker Milton
Gherr R H	Ullrich H C
Graham Robert	Walters A J
Grady Thomas	Wheatley Geo B
Hogan H F	Williams Miss Lucy
Hastings James N	Williams Lew
Hudson Miss Lizzie	Warner Mrs Louisa
Hill Minnie	Wallenbach Mrs C W
Jones Mrs	Wickett H
Mounce John	Woods Mamie
Miller S Theo	Yager A

R. P. LYTLE, P. M.

W. C. T. U.

A meeting of the executive committee is desired by the president at $2\frac{1}{2}$ p. m., on Thursday next. Regular meeting at 3 to close promptly at 4. This is the day for monthly reports of officers. Let there be a large attendance. M. M. SARGENT, Sec.

MR. TOM BIVINS, the Kansas Land Excursion Agent, will run another special excursion over the Wabash to points in Kansas and Missouri on Tuesday, Oct. 10th, and again on Tuesday, Oct. 24th. Round trip fare from Decatur, $15.00, tickets good for forty days, with stop over privileges. oct2-d&w3w

Knights of Pythias

You are hereby notified to meet at the regular place of meeting on Wednesday night in full uniform in order to arrange for a trip to Maroa.
C. M. DURFEE, K. of R. and S.
HENRY McCLELLAN, C. C.

Decatur School of Elocution.

MISS LENA HENKLE,
Successor to Mrs. M. L. Cain, will organize her Classes in Elocution and Dramatic Reading, in the rooms formerly occupied by Mrs. Cain, northwest corner Old Square. Calisthenics, Physical and Vocal Gymnastics Classes meet Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from two to 5 p. m. Business hours Mondays, from 2 to 5 p. m. For terms, etc., address
MISS LENA HENKLE, Decatur, Illinois.
Oct. 4—d1m

Physical & Chemical Apparatus;

MICROSCOPES, TELESCOPES, SCHOOL GLOBES, &c.

Inventor's Models and all sorts of light machinery promptly furnished to order. Send for price list.
GEO. A. HENDERSON,
102 E. Eldorado St., Decatur, Ill.
Aug. 21-d&wtf

Fair and Festival

The German Lutheran Church will have a

FAIR AND FESTIVAL!

—AT THE—

TABERNACLE,

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of Next Week,

October 11, 12 and 13,

For the purpose of securing money to help to pay off the debt of their church.

The ladies of the church will set Dinner on Thursday and Friday, and Oyster Supper Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, at 25 cts. a meal.

On the last day of the Fair a Ladies' Phaeton Cart, of modern style, manufactured by Wayne Bros., will be chanced, and chances can be had at $1.00 each, of E. C. Bassey, Mrs. Charles Marcott, or at Post's Jewelry store and Pahmeyer's cigar store. A Gold Watch and a number of other useful articles will be voted away. oct4-dtd

OPERA HOUSE.

Wednesday, Oct. 4th.

Fourth Season of the Electric Success.

LOUIS ALDRICH

—AND—

Charles T. Parsloe

In the most Famous and Powerful American Drama, in Four Acts, entitled

MY PARTNER!

By BARTLEY CAMPBELL, Esq.

"The play that made the fame of its author in a night, and which is, by long odds, the *best* play of American Life yet seen upon the boards." N. Y. *Herald*.

"A simple story of the West,
But not of fight, or savage brave,
But of a love as tender, true,
As ever knight to lady gave."

Presented by the same one great organization over 1000 times, with the unvarying success that always attends its perfect performance by this Superb Star Company.

Popular prices: 35, 50 and 75 cts. Reserved seats, $1.00. Sale will open Monday morning, Oct. 2, at Curtis & Co.'s.
MR. A. ZABRISKIE, Bus. Manager.
MR. A. C. THOMAS, Advance Representative.
Sept 29 dtd

OPERA HOUSE
ONE NIGHT ONLY.

MONDAY, OCT. 9TH.

The Great New York & Boston Success.

—THE—

ENSIGN COMEDY CO.

This Celebrated Organization is the Authors' own Company, presenting their highly successful and immensely funny farcical comedy,

Rooms for Rent!

Which made such a tremendous hit at the Bijou Opera House, New York, followed by a like phenomenal success in Boston, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Cincinnati, St. Louis and Chicago.

FULL OF FUN!
PERFECTLY PURE!
ELEGANTLY ACTED.

The Leading Daily Papers Say:

"By unanimous consent pronounced the best play on the road."

"They present one scene of absolute finish and power that has never been eclipsed in this city."

"Genuinely witty; excellently acted without offense to decent taste."

"The strongest Comedy Company ever seen in the West."

"Every member is an artist."

RESERVED SEATS AT CURTIS & CO.'S.

PUBLIC SALE!

There will be offered at public sale at the James D. Tait farm, two miles north of Decatur, along the Illinois Central Railroad, on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1882,

commencing at 10 o'clock A. M. sharp, the following property, to-wit:

Fifty Head of Cattle, consisting of Cows, Heifers, Steers and Cows of various ages; one high grade Bull, 2 years old last April; one span Horses, one span Mules, one young Pacing Mare, upwards of 100 Sheep, sixty Hogs of various sizes, one Combined Champion Reaper and Mower, one Press Drill, one Field Roller, from one to ten Corn Planters, two Stalk Cutters, one Sulky Hay Rake, one Spring and Lumber Wagons, Harrows and Cultivators, one Bob Sled, one 2-horse Sleigh, one Hand Corn Sheller, one Grain Fan, one Cider Mill, and other farm implements too tedious to mention. Seventy-five acres of corn in the field will also be offered for sale. One Buffalo Stock Scale, seventy-five tons of hay in stack and barn, household and kitchen furniture, including one Parlor Set and various other things useful on a farm. All this property to be sold if not otherwise disposed of.

TERMS OF SALE.—Sums of $10 and less, cash; larger amounts a credit of ten months on note with known and approved security.
JOSEPH S. TAIT.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 3, 1882* d&w1w

Singing Class.

I will organize an *intermediate* singing class at Bacon & Saxton's Hall, corner of North Main and Eldorado streets, on Friday evening, Oct. 6th. All persons over 12 years of age, desiring to take lessons in sight reading, time and voice drill, are solicited to join. S. M. LUTZ.
Oct. 2-d5

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance. No trade advertisements inserted in this column.]

FOR SALE—A pleasantly situated house of seven rooms, two blocks from either square, in good condition. Apply to L. R. CAIN, or on premises, No. 45 South Water st. Oct. 4-d6t*

GIRL WANTED.—To do dining room work. Apply at Commercial Hotel. 3-d6*

WANTED—At the First M. E. church, a man to serve as sexton for one year. 3-d6*

WANTED—Help at the steam laundry; will pay $7 per week for a No. 1 wash woman that can fill the place. Also want help in the ironing room. Apply at once. 3-d2

LOST—Between the Republican office and Fourth Ward school house, 12 yards brown muslin and $4\frac{1}{4}$ yards of flannel. The finder will confer a favor by leaving the same at Washburn's or Hays' store. Oct. 2-d6

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE—45 South Water street, seven rooms, bath room, good cellar and cistern. Apply at 14 Merchant st., or on the premises. L. R. CAIN. 4-d1w

LOST—On Saturday morning, on the road between Blue Mound and Decatur, a pocket book containing $100. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning the same to this office, or to the owner at Blue Mound, Ill. Sept. 30 d6* THOMAS GABRIEL.

FOR SALE.—A stable on East William and Mill streets, 20x32 and 14 feet high. Enquire of J. Constant, on Cemetery street. 30d1w*

FOR RENT—Dwelling house on Mercer st. Seven rooms, closets, &c.; good well and cistern. Possession given on the 2d of October. A good tenant wanted. Apply to Sept. 29—d6t* SAMUEL McROBERTS.

NICE furnished rooms within a block and a half of the square, for gentlemen and their wives, single rooms for young men, or suits of rooms in a private house, to rent cheap. Apply to GORIN & BILLS. 28-d1w

PENIWELL & SON, Dealers in wood, and Decatur Indiana Block and Hard Coal. Office at D. Hamsher's store, No. 1 North Main street. Leave orders also at M. E. Peniwell's grocery store, No. 22 West Main street. Sept. 28—d2w

BREAD—I have moved my bakery from North Main to Cemetery street, where I will be pleased to fill all orders for bread. Will deliver bread to all parts of the city, morning and evening. Can order by telephone. Farmers will be furnished meals and lodging. july3-d&wtf. JOSEPH McCRARY.

OF INTEREST TO EVERYBODY—The neatest and most reliable upholsterer and furniture repairer in the city can always be found at Bachman Bros.' Furniture House. Leave your orders. G. P. HART. June 14—dtf

SCROLL SAWING and Turning done to order at Will C. Andress' factory, corner of Franklin and Cerro Gordo streets. May 21dtf

J. M. LOWRY, Justice of the Peace and Collecting Agent, writes and certifies the acknowledgment of deeds, mortgages, leases, releases, and other instruments neatly and correctly. Office, Powers' Block, room No. 2, Decatur, Illinois. may 18 dly

REAL ESTATE OFFICE of Kaufman & Randolph, over Decatur National Bank. Parties wanting to buy or sell property will do well to call on the above. 7—d2

SOME very desirable lots on West William street, as nice as can be found in the city, suitable for fine residences. 7-d2 KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

WE have property all over the city for sale. Also lots from $175 to $2,000 each. 7-2d KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

CHEAP LOTS.—For sale to parties intending to build. Apply to MONTGOMERY & SHELL. Powers' Block. mar1dtf

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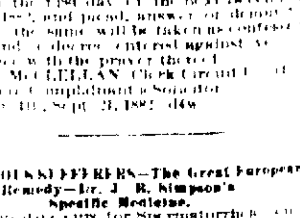

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

JUST received a fine stock of Sewing Stands, at
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SEE "My Partner" to-night.

THREE weddings on October 12th.

GO AND see the dogs to-morrow night.

THE Wabash will sell tickets to Chicago Oct. 10th and good to return Oct. 23d.

GO TO Peter Ullrich's and order your *coal* and *wood.* oc4-d1w

GEORGE P. BLUME and Carter & Smick will occupy the room in opera block together.

THIS week C. B. Prescott is in Chicago, purchasing a new stock of musical instruments and sheet music.

THE crowds at Cole & Hodge's restaurant every day, indicate that they are doing a rushing business.

THE German Lutheran church fair and festival will be held at the tab on Oct. 11 12 and 13.

LEAVE orders for family groceries at Niedermyer's family store on the Mound.

WITNESS the trotting matinee at the driving park to-morrow afternoon. The $100 purse will go to the winning flyer, and "Gray George" will try hard to get it.

STOP at Siddall & Co.'s new grocery store on Merchant street, when in quest of fresh golden butter.

ORDERS left at Peter Ullrich's for coal and wood promptly attended to. [4-d1w

THIS evening Capt. Rowell will speak at Mt. Zion; Thursday evening at Argenta; Friday afternoon at Blue Mound; Friday evening at Macon; at Maroa Saturday afternoon. He will visit the county again before the close of the campaign.

CALL at M. E. Peniwell's for fresh family groceries and fine flour. No. 22 West Main street. 28 d1w

THE handsome little black mare owned by Orlando Stafford, the engineer at the Decatur steam tile factory, escaped from her stable on West Main street this morning, and while in the street and attempting to get out of the way of the early passenger train on the Wabash road, the mare was caught in one of the e guards. She was struck by the train and killed. The loss is a severe one to Mr. Stafford.

A SPLENDID stock of ladies' fine stationery, embracing the very newest styles, at Wallace's Book Store. 18-d&wtf

THE democratic county central committee has been reorganized, with Hon. B. K. Durfee as chairman, and Z. T. Hundley as secretary. C. P. Housum is the retiring chairman.

PURCHASE a new road cart of the D. F. Hamsher make, and get your damaged vehicles repaired at his shop.

THE first gun of the Republican campaign in Macon county last evening at the court house was a boomer. The firing will be kept up all along the line until the decisive day.

FOR the best meals and best liquors call at the Palace Hotel. [Aug 20-dtf

ABOUT 35 members of Decatur Knights of Pythias will go to Maroa this evening to be present at the installation of the officers of Roper Lodge to-night. Many other Knights from other cities will also be present.

ON top always in popular favor—Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars, sold by all first-class dealers.

WE forgot to mention in our reference yesterday to Messrs. Linn & Scruggs' plate glass to state that it was furnished and set by our local dealers, Messrs. Myer & Son. They also have replaced one for John Frank, on East Main street, and for Swearingen & Shilling, on East Eldorado street.

A LARGE amount of money is being expended in fitting up Powers' Hall for Celestial Lodge of Odd-Fellows. The carpentess have been engaged in building the platforms and a comforatable retreat for the goat.

JOHN IRWIN has
JUST RECEIVED
the largest and finest assortment of
NECK WEAR
ever placed on sale in Decatur. Call at the White Front in P. O. Block.
2 d1w

THE reunion of the ex-Prisoners of War will be held this year at Chicago, on the 18th and 19th of the present month. W. W. Lowdermilk, of Springfield, is president of the association, and Ed Miner, of Bloomington, is secretary. There are many ex-prisoners of war residing in Macon county who will doubtless attend this reunion.

YOU will see nothing but the latest imported novelties in Neck Wear at John Irwin's. It will pay you to look at them. 2 d1w

PROF. MORRIS had a house full to overflowing Saturday night to witness his dog show. The exhibition will be repeated to-night, when those who failed to get in can have an opportunity to see the best trained kennel of dogs that ever was shown in this city. *Mattoon Journal.*

At the opera house, Thursday night, Oct. 5. Admission 10 and 15 cents; reserved seats 25 cents.

PETER ULLRICH'S grocery store is the place to leave your orders for *hard and soft coal.* oc4-d1w

DON'T fail to see the greatest dogs on earth, including "Major," the smartest dog in the world, at the opera house on Thursday night, Oct. 5th. Admission 10 and 15 cents; reserved seats 25 cents.

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REPUBLICAN MASS MEETING.

Captain Rowell Greeted by a Big Crowd of Voters at the Court House.

A Splendid Practical Speech Delivered by Our Next Congressman.

The Republican campaign in Macon county was commenced in Decatur last night, at the court house, in the presence of about 700 voters, there being present a goodly number of ladies. Here and there could be seen democratic voters, and the only regret is that there were not more representatives of the Bourbon party present.

The speaker of the evening was Captain Jonathan H. Rowell, of Bloomington, Republican nominee for Congress in this district, who was escorted from the New Deming Hotel to the court house by Goodman's cornet band. The meeting was called to order at 8 o'clock by J. R. Mosser, who introduced the gentleman, who is well qualified to cope with his opponent in the congressional race in oratory and argument. He spoke for nearly two hours in a very forcible manner, commanding the undivided attention of his hearers. It was a practical, logical and common sense address, and, as a whole, was a just arraignment of the Democratic and Greenback parties, and a skillful exposure of the absurd fallacies and deceitfulness of the leaders of the parties whose chief aim is to obtain power that they may hold office and undo what it cost the North 500,000 lives and three billions of dollars to accomplish.

The Captain began by stating that this is the people's country, and upon their shoulders rest the conduct and management of governmental affairs, and the man who neglects to cast his vote at every election fails in his duty as a citizen. The speaker had no apology to offer for discussing political questions. The people have a right to hear him as their chosen standard-bearer in this congressional district. There are two forms of government -state and national—and political parties are divided on national affairs. The condition of this country, whatever it may be, affects our standing abroad. National policies establish good or bad financial system and encourage or discourage industry. The state is the police of the country. It enforces law, protects the people, and property. As a candidate for a national office the Captain stated that he would discuss national questions, being satisfied that the various candidates for state offices are fully competent to to speak on matters of live interest to the people of the State.

In this country there now exist two parties, and the people must choose between the two. A vote cast outside is a vote thrown away, for a vote to be effective must be cast to accomplish something; it must be a vote that means something and not thrown away on side issues. Men who think and desire to have their votes count—men who are not mere dreamers—don't often go groping around in the dark. To-day there are two leading parties, the republican on one side and the democratic on the other. Some years ago there was only a selfish excuse for the existence of the Greenback party, but now there is no excuse whatever for its existence; and yet there are now a few speculative visionary people even in this district who desire to attract a little attention. These few greenbackers have a candidate. His name is Stevenson.

The democratic party says by its representatives that all great political questions of the past have been settled, and that the things of the past are not to be disturbed or discussed, claiming that the questions ought not to be reopened out of consideration of good will and neighborly peace between man and man. If all these great questions have been settled right and finally, then the party in opposition to the party in power confesses that that party has been right and worthy of continued confidence and endorsement by the people. They confess that the republicans have done right for 20 years. All republican policies have been right; all laws just and right; and that all is permanently settled. These are among the best reasons in the world that the Republican party should remain in power. The house is one of our own building. It has been carefully and permanently built, and we should be permitted to occupy it.

THE CURRENCY.

The greenback nominee for congress, said the Captain, is Mr. Stevenson. He claims that there should be a change in the currency system. He contends that the National Bank currency should be retired, and the greenback currency of modern times substituted in its place—a currency not to be redeemed - a currency issued by the government for the purpose of exchange, and the government fix the value of the same. This notion the speaker declared nonsensical, and asked if every dollar of the government currency of to-day wasn't worth 100 cents the world over, having behind it all the coin reserves of the United States and the taxing power of the country. If the greenbackers can make a dollar worth more than 100 cents they will have discovered the philosopher's stone indeed. Any man having a farm or anything else to sell can readily find a purchaser. Money is plentiful. Banks are loaded down with surplus money, with no borrowers. Coupon clippers are comparatively idle. That man is unknowingly or unwittingly an enemy to his country who would experiment by forcing visionary schemes upon the people in order to change our present currency. Such a plan would only result in injuring the prosperity of the country, and no greenbacker ever elected to congress would have the hardihood to introduce a bill to wipe out our present system. He couldn't dare to contemplate the results. As for the speaker he was in favor of letting well enough alone, until more light not of a speculative character, can be thrown on the currency question.

FREE SPEECH, FREE PRESS, FREE BALLOT.

The question of free speech, free press and a free ballot is another question before the people of the country. In 1860 the battle cry was "free speech, free press and free men." Older people will remember the vindictiveness of the people of a certain section of the country who pronounced again this battle cry, and it will be remembered also that a republican newspaper was not allowed to pass through the mails in that quarter. The last democratic state convention declared in favor of "free speech, free press, and a free and uncorrupted ballot," repeating the same declaration made in 1860 by the republicans who seated Abraham Lincoln as president of the United States. At this point in his address Mr. Rowell took occasion to explain the democratic version of a "free and uncorrupted ballot," and showed how the democratic congress of two years ago stopped the wheels of the government by refusing appropriations that were needful. He declared that all the republican voters down south cannot read, and for the benefit of such ballots with colored backs are provided for them that there may be no mistakes. The democrats have plain white ballots of tissue composition, so thin that a dozen of them placed together seem no thicker than the republican ballot with its colored back. The ballots are handed to the democratic judges and placed in the box. The difference in the color and texture of the ballots being very noticeable, it was easy to determine how the election was going. Should it happen that there were more ballots in the box than there were names on the poll books, the matter could be easily adjusted. The law of South Carolina was such that the democratic judge could be blindfolded, and then take out enough ballots to even the thing. The judge was required not to look, but he was not forbiden to feel; and so he had no trouble in distinguishing between the republican and democratic tickets. In this manner were democrats sent to congress and the South made solid. These statements, and many others equally damaging, are matters of record and cannot be disputed. Six ex-confederates went to congress and commenced making laws for the people of the north and south, and six republican contestants came forward to claim the seats; and the democratic congress sat for days and days, insisting, in the face of the recorded evidence, that no law had been violated, and that the stolen seats be not restored to the rightful owners. This is but a sample of the democratic idea of a "free and uncorrupted ballot." By these methods have the "democrats" of the South obtained control of the lower house, with a northern democrat for chairman. It is a matter of record that in the last congress an ex-rebel soldier was chairman of every important committee, and these men have for six years controlled the legislation for this country, directing the expenditure of the money raised by taxation.

THE TARIFF.

The democratic candidate for congress in this district, whose name is also Stevenson, has peculiar views on the tariff question. Greenbackers and democrats should be careful on election day and not become confused. When they vote for Stevenson, greenbacker, they should write "greenback" opposite the name; and the democrats voting for Stevenson should write "democrat" opposite his name, so that Adlai may know which party gives him the biggest boost. Here the speaker proceeded to expose the impractical views of his opponent, and pronounced himself in favor of a protective tariff, such as will continue and increase the present prosperity of the country, that investments may be safe and productive and that artisans and laborers may live like men, secure homes for themselves and families and lay by something for maintenance when going down the hill of life. Mr. Stevenson is opposed to the present tariff system that has brought prosperity to the country, and has declared in favor of a return to the Walker tariff, or the tariff of 1846, which during the last ten years of its existence brought nothing but disaster to the country, failing to produce money enough to meet the ordinary expenses of the government, and compelled us to borrow money to meet our obligations. The Walker tariff did this. It was not sufficient to keep American labor employed. It was a demonstrated failure. Factory after factory closed its doors, and thousands of laborers were turned out, in many instances to starve. Everything was dark and gloomy. The speaker was emphatically opposed to any such system of tariff, and he would fight against it. The theory of the republican party is that the man who makes good wages is a better man and a better citizen than the man who earns small wages. He is a better citizen because there is a brighter outlook before him. It is not a wise thing to reduce the price of labor in this country to that of the old country, for when this is done classes will be formed and men become laborers all their lives. This would be all wrong. Every man should have a chance to amount to something and become a property owner. The only way to encourage industry is by the taxing power of the country. The easiest way to invest money is in bonds and then become a coupon clipper. But this is the worst way. The best way is to invest money so that it will produce something. The thousands of factories in the country are the life of American prosperity and wealth, and the industrious, productive farmers go hand in hand with them. That man must be a Bourbon indeed who would go back to the Walker tariff and paralyze the healthy prosperity of this country. The speaker declared that he believed the tariff system should be changed to meet the changed condition of the affairs, and he was in favor of a change, but not a change according to European notions.

THE CIVIL SERVICE.

The speaker discussed the civil service reform question at considerable length and showed that the party in power had made the initial move in this matter He indicated clearly what was being done and stated that for once the democrats had pitched their tents on this question alongside of the republican tents, whereas in the past they had always took possession of the camping grounds given up by the party of progress.

THE CONCLUSION.

Captain Rowell during the delivery of his solid speech was heartily applauded. He closed by making a respectful allusion to Stevenson, and by declaring that the grand old republican party was a good one to tie to; that it had kept every one of its pledges; that it had rewarded and was still remembering those who had gone to the front in the heat of battle to preserve this Union from the hand of the destroyer.

Captain Rowell will remain in Macon county during the present week and fill his appointments. He will be accompanied by Mr. Foster of Logan county, and others.

IT cost $1,000 to educate "Major," the smartest dog in the world, and he is valued at $5,000. Go and see him at the opera house Thursday night.

Tip Top.

Headquarters for tip-top Baking Powder, at Peter Ullrich's; guaranteed to be the best in the market and absolutely pure.

Death of George S. Yates.

A telegram has been received in Decatur by Stanton Fields from Supt. Carriel, of the Insane Asylum at Jacksonville, stating that George S. Yates died in that institution on Tuesday. The deceased was well known in this community as a barber and a young man of more than ordinary intelligence. He had been a student at the Wesleyan Law School at Bloomington for two years, and his health and mind became impaired on account of too close application to his studies. Mr. Yates was born in slavery. His age was 30 years. He has a brother, James A. Yates, residing at Edina, Mo. The deceased was a member of Decatur Lodge of Ancient York Masons.

The remains will be brought here this evening, and to-morrow the interment will take place in Decatur.

Linked for Life.

This afternoon at three o'clock, Mr. Eli J. Mosely, Jr., a clerk at the Central House and a nephew of the proprietor, Col. N. A. White, and Miss Dora L. Guyant, were united in marriage at the residence of the aunt of the bride, Mrs. Morgan, on South Macon street, by Rev. W. H. Prestley. This evening the couple will go to Mt. Pulaski where they will be given a formal reception to-night by the parents of the groom. The many Decatur friends of Eli wish him unlimited happiness.

A Mistake.

Peter Bennett, the driver of Heilman's delivery wagon, got to shouting in front of the Y. M. C. A. rooms last night. He was filled with a religious zeal, and his manner of expressing it drew a big crowd in about a minute and a half. The police came along and interfered with the proceedings, because they caused the blockading of the sidewalk and interfered with other people.—*Herald, 4th.*

Mr. William Bennett, who is referred to in the above, desires the REPUBLICAN to state that there was no interference of the police while he was in front of the W. C. T. U. rooms, not the Y. M. C. A. The people quietly dispersed in a few minutes. He claims that in the beginning he lost what the Lord gave him, but he will do his duty as a christian and try to do good the remainder of his days.

The Robinson Family.

Since the finis of the Hoffman trial the Robinson family have settled down to quiet life. Mr. Silas Robinson, father of the unfortunate Zetta, has resumed his work on the section as laborer on the I., E. & W. railroad, Mrs. Robinson is engaged in a neighbor family as a sick nurse, while Zetta with her babe, has gone to do housework for Mr. Benjamin Coale, a farmer who resides near Benjaminville.—*Bloomington Pantagraph.*

PERSONAL MENTION.

Fred. Goodridge is now with the *Review.*

Dick Haworth has returned from his visit to Ohio.

J. D. Turner, the painter, has gone to Colorado Springs, Col.

John F. Finley is the new book-keeper at Young Bros., the Water street grocers.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Allison, on Sunday evening, a girl—8 pounds.

Will S. Stevenson, of the Pullman Palace car service, was in St. Paul, Minn., on Sunday.

Ex-Gov. John L. Routt, of Colorado, is in the city, the guest of Mr. E. A. Jones and family. He paid us a pleasant call this morning.

M. L. Parker is now the sole owner of the $100 bicycle. He gave Dick Peake $35 for his interest, getting the machine back again for $30. He announces that there will be no more bicycle raffles at present.

John F. Burrell, late secretary of the Illinois Masonic Grand Lodge, was arrested in Minneapolis and taken to Springfield on a charge of embezzling $8,000. He was unable to procure bail in $10,000, and was sent to jail. General John C. Smith made the complaint.

The invitations were sent out this forenoon for the marriage of Mr. Heston I. Baldwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Baldwin, and Miss Ada Pratt, daughter of Hon. and Mrs. E. B. Pratt, which is to take place at the residence of the bride's parents on Thursday evening, October 12th at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Geo. A. Henderson, of Decatur, formerly a Wesleyan student, has recently manufactured a solar microscope for the University, with attachments for projecting photographic slides. The Zentmayer lens used in the microscope magnifies nearly 250 diameters, throwing the image on the wall of the class room. Mr. Henderson is also manufacturing and repairing other pieces of apparatus for the University. We have the authority of the professor of natural sciences for saying that Mr. Henderson manufactures simple but effective apparatus at prices far below those of the prominent dealers in large cities. *Bloomington Leader.*

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In this city, on Oct. 3, 1882, by Rev. John H. Myers, MR. ISAIAH GIBBEN and MRS. LUCY A. STILLS, both of Decatur, Ill.

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The Closing Quotations at Wilcox & Armstrong's Commission Rooms, at 1 p. m. To-day.

CHICAGO, Oct. 4

WHEAT—94⅞ Oct; 94⅞ Nov; 93⅞ Year.

CORN—60⅞ Oct; 60⅞ Nov; 54⅞ Year; 52⅞ May.

OATS—31⅞ Oct; 32 Nov; 31⅞ Year; 36 May.

PORK—$22.90 Oct; $21.60 Nov; —— Dec.

LARD—$12.95 Oct; $12.50 Nov; —— Dec.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

HOGS—*Estimated receipts*, 14,000; shipments, 3,600, live hogs, $7.80@$8.65; mixed, $7.80@$8.55; heavy, $8.50@$9.25; cattle receipts, 6,400.

	Receipts.	Shipments.	Car Lots
WHEAT	293,810	161,467	214
CORN	81,012	202,012	120
OATS	82,582	147,630	67
RYE	29,172	4,434	26

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.

WHEAT—$1.07⅞ Oct; $1.08⅞ Nov; $1.09⅞ Dec; —— Jan; $1.07⅞ Year.

CORN—71⅞ Oct; 69⅞ Nov; 65⅞ Dec; 65⅞ Year.

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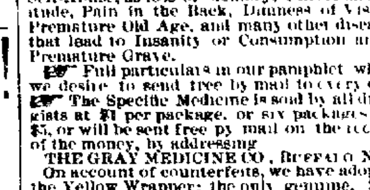

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In the Circuit Court, December Term, A. D. 1882.
Nathan Noecker vs. Catherine D. Noecker—In Chancery.

NOTICE is hereby given to said Catherine D. Noecker that the above-named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said Catherine D. Noecker, above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of said court, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1882, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
OUTTEN & VAIL, Complainant's Solicitors.
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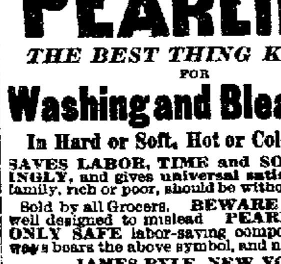

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The Daily Republican.

WIT AND WISDOM.

—Shallow men believe in luck; strong men believe in cause and effect.

—You can have what you like in this world, if you will but like what you have.

—Said a fond husband to his wife: "My dear, I think I'll buy you a little dog." "Oh, no!" she replied, "do not! I prefer giving you all my affections!"—*Progress.*

—Here lies a man whose earthly race is run;
He raised the hammer of a fowling gun,
And blew into the muzzle just because
He wished to know if it was loaded—and it was.
—*Somerville Journal*

—Mr. Editor: Will you please answer who was "David's wife's mother?" and you will greatly oblige a reader.—Lizzie. Certainly, with pleasure. David's wife's mother was David's mother-in-law.—*Philadelphia News.*

—An accordeon factory at Long Island, N. Y., was destroyed by fire a few days ago. The police are looking for the incendiary. It is supposed the people want to present him with a valuable testimonial.—*Norristown Herald.*

—Gus De Smith called at a very fashionable house on Austin avenue a few days ago and acted so queerly that when that lady's husband came home, she said "What is the matter with young De Smith? He acted so strangely. I think there must be a screw loose about him somewhere." "Reckon not. I saw him this morning, and he was tight all over."—*Texas Siftings.*

—A store up-town has a sign which reads: "This is a tin store." An old inebriate staggered in recently, and after a good deal of fumbling in his pocket, put five cents on the counter. "What do you want?" asked the proprietor, indignantly. "Wa-wa-want a-a d-d-d-drink!" "This is not a liquor saloon!" said the proprietor, with awful emphasis. "Wha-wha-what?" said the drunken man, astonished. "Why, Jo-Jo-Jones said I could get a horn here!"—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—A good adviser says: "Next to the love of her husband, nothing so crowns a woman's life with honor as the devotion of a son to her. We never knew a boy to turn out badly who began by falling in love with his mother. Any man may fall in love with a fresh-faced girl, and the man who is gallant to the girl may cruelly neglect the poor and weary wife in after years. But the big boy who is a lover of his mother at middle age is a true knight, who will love his wife in the sere-leaf autumn as he did in the daisied spring. There is nothing so beautifully chivalrous as the love of a big boy for his mother. Boys, think of this."

Growth of Colts.

In order to winter a colt well, and have him come out a fine, showy, sturdy animal in the spring, particular attention must be paid to his growth during the first summer and autumn. If the mare's milk is at all deficient to keep the colt in good flesh and thriving steadily, it is best to have recourse at once to cow's milk. Skimmed milk answers very well for this purpose, especially if a little flax-seed jelly, oil or cotton seed meal, is mixed with it. A heaped tablespoonful, night and morning, is enough to begin with, when the colt is a month old. This can be gradually increased to a pint per day, by the time it is six months old, or double this if the colt be of the large farm or Cart Horse breed.

Oats, also, may be given as soon as they can be eaten. Begin with a half-pint, night and morning, and go on increasing, according to the age and size of the animal, to four quarts per day. These, together with the meal above, should be supplemented with a couple of quarts of wheat bran night and morning. The latter is excellent to prevent worms, and helps to keep the bowels in good condition.

Colts should not be permitted to stand on a plank, cement, paved or any hard floor the first year, as these are liable to injuriously affect the feet and legs. Unless the yard where colts run in the winter has a sandy, or fine, dry, gravelly soil, it should be well littered, so as to keep their feet dry. Mud, or soft, wettish ground, is apt to make tender hoofs, no matter how well bred the colt may be. One reason why the horses in one district grow up superior to those in another in hoof, bone, muscle and action, is because it has a dry limestone or siliceous soil. When the mare is at work, do not let the colt run with her, and if she comes back from her work heated, allow her to get cool before suckling the colt, as her over-heated milk is liable to give the foal diarrhoea.—*National Live Stock Journal.*

—A Washington reporter has a new synonym or figure of speech for a grave. He calls it "the low, green tent whose curtain never outward swings."

True to her Trust.

Too much cannot be said of the ever faithful wife and mother, constantly watching and caring for her dear ones, never neglecting a single duty in their behalf. When they are assailed by disease, and the system should have a thorough cleansing, the stomach and bowels regulated, blood purified, and malarial poison exterminated, she must know that Electric Bitters are the only sure remedy. They are the best and purest medicine in the world and cost only fifty cents. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 1

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Otto J. Doesburg, proprietor of the *Holland City News*, Mich., writes "A bad cold settled on my side and back, kidney trouble, liver and rheumatism combined; I suffered terribly, though I was obliged to move about and attend to business. I tried local doctors, but received no relief, and "as a forlorn hope" tried your THOMAS ECLECTRIC OIL. have only used half a fifty cent bottle, and feel as well as I ever did in my life." 3

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May 23, 1882—d&wtf

Life-Slavery for Debt.

It was recently brought out in a debate in the House of Commons that slavery of the worst class—debt slavery—not only was allowed to exist, but was actually protected and upheld in one of the Malay native States which are under the protection of England, and where the British flag is constantly kept flying. A correspondent, who vouches for the accuracy of every particular, sends us the following narrative of the way in which a British resident fosters this hateful system. Mr. James Innes (writes our correspondent), son of the late Prof. Cosmo Innes, of Edinburg, has been for some years Collector and magistrate in one of the Malay native States called Selangor. While there one of his chief duties was to discourage slavery, which he did with very great success. In August, 1878, however, he was moved to another of the three Malay native States, called Perak, to relieve a brother official who had been invalided home. In Perak Mr. Innes found to his astonishment that part of his duty as magistrate was to issue warrants for the capture of runaway slaves and to see that the warrants were carried out. He inquired of the other English officials in the place, and found that this disreputable work, as he considered it, had been done by his predecessor and also by the Superintendents of Police, but that they had always done it with great reluctance, and only in obedience to the express commands of Mr. Low, the Resident of Perak. It appeared that it was the custom of the country, encouraged and approved by the Governor of the Straits settlements. The more Mr. Innes inquired into the subject the more revolting it appeared. It was proved beyond a doubt that the unfortunate slaves never ran away unless their lives were made absolutely unendurable. It also appeared that when, by the agency of the English magistrates or otherwise these poor wretches were caught and returned to their masters, they were not infrequently tortured to death. This was done to deter others from following their example. Mr. Innes naturally hesitated at making himself an accessory to murder. In Malaya, as in other States where debt slavery prevails, a peasant who borrows a sovereign from his landlord is liable on failure to repay the loan to be made a slave for life, together with his wife and family. Even children born after their parents have become debt slaves are the property of the creditor, and their children, also. The result is that almost every one in the country who is not a rajah is a slave. There is no middle class in a Malay country, nothing between a rajah and a ryot. The rajah feeds and clothes his slaves, of course, in return for their labor, and sometimes treats them not unkindly, calling them his children. But he can sell them for so much a head, or order them to be killed if they should offend him.—*Pall-Mall Gazette.*

Killed the Wrong Hens.

An irascible sea-Captain settled down to Portland life by the side of a well-tempered man, and the two got along very well until the hen question came up. Said the Captain:

"I like you as a neighbor, but I don't like your hens, and if they trouble me any more I'll shoot them."

The mild-mannered neighbor studied over the matter some, but knowing the Captain's reputation well by report, he replied:

"Well, if we can't get along any other way, shoot the hens, but I'll take it as a favor if you will throw them when dead over into our yard and yell to my wife."

"All right," said the Captain.

The next day the Captain's gun was heard, and a dead hen fell in the quiet man's yard. The next day another hen was thrown over, the next two, and the next after three.

"Say," said the quiet man, "couldn't you scatter them along a little? We really can't dispose of the number you are killing."

"Give 'em to your poor relations," replied the Captain, gruffly.

And the quiet man did. He kept his neighbors well supplied with chickens for some weeks.

One day the Captain said to the quiet man:

"I have half a dozen nice hens I'm going to give you if you'll keep quiet about this affair."

"How is that," said the quiet man. "Are you sorry because you killed my hens?"

"Your hens!" said the Captain. "Why, sir, those hens belonged to my wife! I didn't know she had any until I fed you and your neighbors all summer out of her flock."—*Portland (Me.) Transcript.*

—The Kaiser-Wilhelm, the youngest of German universities, has 101 professors, 825 students, and a library of 525,000 volumes.

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Never was such a rush made for any drug store as is now at Hubbard & Swearingen's for a trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. All persons afflicted with Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Cough, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs, can get a trial bottle of this great remedy *free*, by calling at the above drug store. 4

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OUR PRICES are THE LOWEST, and our stock is the *Largest, Newest* and *Best*. Come and we will prove it.
Sep7-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY.

Cider and Bolted Meal.

Those wishing cider in any quantity for making superior vinegar, or for any other purpose, should call at William Bills' steam establishment on South Broadway, four doors north of the Illinois Midland Depot. Mr. Bills uses the self-adjustable cider press with the Grider hydraulic jack power. Only the best cider apples—80 bushels per day—are used. Mr. Bills makes a specialty of his bolted meal, and also keeps in stock a full supply of feed of every description. Call at Bills' place for sweet cider, bolted meal and feed. His prices are as low as the lowest. [Sept. 29-d3w

R. McCLELLAND'S coal office has been moved from the old stand to the North Main street crossing of the Wabash railroad. Down-town office at Cole Bros. drug store. Telephone orders for best grades of hard and soft coal.
Sept. 23-dtf

Doctors and Churches.

The doctors of New York City, hundreds of whom have personally visited Speer's Vineyards during the wine making season, say his Port Grape Wine has proved to be pure, unadulterated, of a fine flavor and tonic properties and is unsurpassed for its restorative powers, and they prescribe it as very superior wine. The principal churches in New York and Brooklyn use it for communion. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. 16-d2w

FACTS INDISPUTABLE.

Everybody knows, who has tried, and those who have not should call at once and be convinced, that we sell BETTER GOODS for LESS MONEY than any other house in the city.
CHEAP CHARLEY,
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A Novel and Perfect Cure for Scrofula Salt Rheum, Cancer, Etc.

A discovery has recently been made which adds luster to the Nineteenth Century. It consists simply in an extract from the Red Clover Blossom, as extracted by J. M. Loose & Co., Monroe, Mich., who have gone into the business largely in order to supply the increasing demand. For sale by Dr. A. J. STONER.

A slight testimonial:

TOLEDO, OHIO, Jan. 17, 1882.

J. M. Loose & Co., Monroe, Mich.:

Gentlemen—My wife has for some time been afflicted with something like a scrofulous disease, and found no relief until she gave your Extract of Red Clover a trial. I am happy to say she has experienced great relief. This is but a slight testimonial of my appreciation of your efforts in behalf of humanity, which you are welcome to use for their benefit. I am very respectfully, H. ARMS.
Feb. 3, 1882—d&w1yr

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour sold here. dec18d&wtf

Summer Complaint

For cholic in infants, teething, summer complaint, flux or cholera infantum, Brunker's Carminative Balsam is king of all remedies; it defies all competition. For adults, in dysentery, flux, cramp colic, congestion, neuralgia of stomach or Asiatic cholera its reputation is unparalleled. Ten thousand bottles sold in Indianapolis in 1881. Sold in 25 cent, 50 cent and $1 bottles. For sale by all druggists. Wholesale agents—Richardson & Co., St. Louis; Tolman & King, Chicago; Stewart & Barry, Indianapolis; Dr. A. J. Stoner, Decatur, Ill. July 29 d&w3m

IF you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at Shellabarger's.
Dec. 18—d&wtf

No tally necessary to tell Stines all wool $10 Suits. M5 dtf

BEWARE of imitations of L. L. Ferris & Co.'s Corn Cure. None genuine without their name on every bottle. It is warranted to cure every time. Price 25 cents. Sept6-dtf

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BROWN'S IRON BITTERS is one of the very few tonic medicines that are not composed mostly of alcohol or whiskey, thus becoming a fruitful source of intemperance by promoting a desire for rum.

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS is guaranteed to be a non-intoxicating stimulant, and it will, in nearly every case, take the place of all liquor, and at the same time absolutely kill the desire for whiskey and other intoxicating beverages.

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Cin., O., Nov. 16, 1881.
Gents:—The foolish wasting of vital force in business, pleasure, and vicious indulgence of our people, makes your preparation a necessity, and if applied, will save hundreds who resort to saloons for temporary recuperation.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that open bids will be received by the undersigned, commissioners and committee of highways of the town of Long Creek, Macon county, State of Illinois, on the tenth day of October, A. D. 1882, at two o'clock P. M., for the construction and repair of the grade and trestle work on the State road east of Decatur. The trestle work will be let by the thousand and the grade by the yard, the commissioners reserving the right to reject any or all bids. The party to whom it is let must give a good and sufficient bond. The contract will be let on the east end of said grade.
C. H. LICHTENBERGER,
J. W. MYERS,
R. F. McDONALD,
Commissioners of Highways.
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FOR good-fitting and well-trimmed, well-made suits, see Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of Old Square.
Sept 7 d&wtf

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Manufacturer of Fine Clothing.
Sep7 d&wtf

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April 15 d&wtf

ESPECIALLY adapted for mechanics and workingmen, the $10 all wool Suits at Stine's. M5 dtf

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Sept 15 d&wtf

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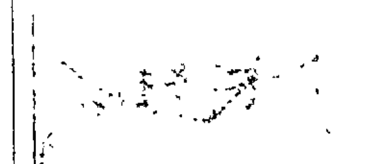

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Freight [illegible]

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Passenger [illegible]
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J. H. WILSON, Supt.
[illegible] HENDERSON, Gen'l Man.
Decatur, Ill., April 16, 1882.

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On and after Sunday, April 9th, 1882, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

Going East	Arrive, Mail & Express	7 40 p. m.
" "	Leave " "	7 40 a. m.
" West	Arrive " "	7 55 p. m.
" "	Leave " "	6 45 a. m.

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